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In re Application of:)	Conf. No.: 2874
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Appln. No.: 10/572,581)	Examiner: Clark F. Dexter
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REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action of **December 30, 2008**, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 9 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 11 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.